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In re the Application of: **Daisuke KURODA, et al.**

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**(§371 of International Application PCT/JP03/14307)**

For: **MEDICAL DEVICE FOR LIVING SOFT TISSUE AND METHOD OF  
PRODUCTION OF SAME**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination of this application, please amend the  
above-identified patent application as follows: